

underlying bill on Select File, there has been an indication of interest from gun groups actually to HELP fund the distribution of this information. The status of this program at this time essentially is that the Department of Health has developed and is in the process of developing a poster and pamphlet which will be ready for dissemination certainly by July 1. And in discussions with the NRA and other gun groups who are going to hopefully get the information on the...where the gun dealers are located, their addresses and so forth and so on, and then get this information out to them after the first of...after July 1 and implement the program at that time. So, with that, Mr. Speaker, I would just urge the body to advance the A bill which is following...trailing the underlying legislation to Select File. Thank you.

SPEAKER BAACK: Thank you, Senator Ashford. Discussion on LB 117A? Seeing none, we will now vote on the advancement. All those in favor vote aye, opposed vote no. We are voting on the advancement of LB 117A. Have you all voted? Record, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 25 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on the advancement of LB 117A.

SPEAKER BAACK: LB 117A advances. We'll now proceed to Item 7, General File, special order revenue package, LB 98.

CLERK: Mr. President, LB 98, introduced by Senator Withem. (Read title.) The bill was introduced on January 7, referred to the Revenue Committee. The bill was advanced to General File. I have committee amendments pending by the Revenue Committee.

SPEAKER BAACK: Senator Warner, on the committee amendments.

SENATOR WARNER: Mr. President, members of the Legislature, the committee amendments do a couple of things, amend the bill in a couple of ways. First the bill as introduced would designate the use for funds, and that portion of the designated use is stricken from the legislation. The money, the funds would be deposited to the General Fund and then would be available for funding the General Fund budget for whatever purpose the additional funds permitted as far as their amount. The other thing what the bill does then is restores in part the sales tax that was repealed in 1984 on certain beverages, those beverages...on all beverages, except those that are specifically excluded and those would include dairy products, baby formula,